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SUBJ: ADDITIONS TO THE GRUNK/FUNK LIST OF "TRAITORS"

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1. AFP PARIS REPORTS (REFERENCE) WITH A PEKING DATELINE THAT SIHANOUK HAS ANNOUNCED THE NAMES OF 21 KHMER "SUPERTRAITORS" WHO WOULD BE TRIED AS "WAR CRIMINALS." THE 21 ARE IN ADDITION TO THE SEVEN GKR LEADERS ALREADY CONDEMNED TO DEATH. ADDRESSEES PLEASE CABLE US THE NAMES OF THE 21 WHEN YOU GET THEM.

2. COMMENT: THIS SUDDEN ADDITION GREATLY WEAKENS THE AMNESTY BOTH SIHANOUK AND THE KC PROCLAIMED FOR ALL EXCEPT SEVEN MAJOR GKR LEADERS. WE CAN PROBABLY EXPECT FURTHER ADDITIONS DIVIDING REPUBLICAN LEADERS INTO VARIOUS DEGREES OF "TRAITOR" AND "WAR CRIMINAL" OR "WAR PROFITEER" ETC. AS WE HAVE SUGGESTED IN THE PAST, ANYONE IN THE PRESS OR CONGRESS WHO EXPECTS GRUNK/FUNK TO SHOW MERCY IF THEY WIN IS INDULGING IN WISHFUL THINKING.

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